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Amendments to the Specification:**The paragraph beginning at Page 78, line 5 to line 10, is to be amended as follows:****8.438.3.3 Order Item**

Many known purchasing applications involve the user maintaining a collection of items. ~~In the prior art screen-based version of the purchasing applications, which are entirely screen-based,~~ the user's collection is typically shown every time an item is added or removed. The user therefore receives immediate feedback when the collection changes. The collection may reflect an e-mail recipient list, a shopping cart, etc.

The paragraph beginning at Page 78, line 11 to line 20, is to be amended as follows:

~~In the netpage version of the purchasing application according to the present invention,~~ it is less practical to re-print the collection every time it changes. Item deletions and quantity changes can be marked up visibly, and so do not necessarily require immediate re-printing. Item insertions, however, are more problematic. In some cases the entire source list can be used as the input form, allowing it to be marked up visibly. This may be particularly apt if the source list already represents a user-specific subset of the complete source list, e.g. last week's shopping list rather than the grocery store's complete range. There will be cases, however, where the user will primarily be making selections from a complete catalog. The catalog may even be many hundreds of pages long, offset printed, and delivered in the mail. Since it is intended for multiple use, it is not suitable for visible markup.